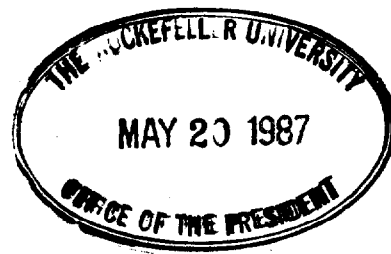


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Dear Josh:

Thanks so much for your memorandum of April 28th and the attached letter to the membership of the Genetics Society of America concerning the archiving of scientific papers and other significant material that might be helpful to future historians of science. This letter was very similar to our discussion concerning the proposed project for The Pew Scholars Program and I am sure from this experience that you and your colleagues have learned a great deal that might assist us in the planning and implementation of our request for information. We have presented the concept to our Board and will be anxious to work with your staff in the further development of a proposal as your planning evolves and time permits.

Again, let me thank you for your continuing commitment and leadership for The Scholars Program and for your personal friendship and support.

Sincerely,


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